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Honorable Reginald Stanton Superior Court of New Jersey 228 Hall of Records Newark, New Jersey 07102

Re: State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection v. Scientific Chemical Processing, Inc., et al Docket No. L-1852-83E

Dear Judge Stanton:

I am in receipt of Mr. Egan's objections to my proposed Order. I respectfully submit that said objections are without merit.

Based upon a review of my notes, I believe paragraph 3 of the proposed order is fully consistent with positions taken by Your Honor and DEP at the hearing. I advised the court of DEP's position explaining that Inmar's plan was unacceptable because it lacked sufficient detail for evaluation. It was my understanding that Your Honor agreed with this position. Indeed, I recall discussions between the court and Mr. Egan regarding the lack of information submitted in connection with the analytical aspects of Inmar's proposal. It was on this basis that the court directed Inmar to have its technical representatives meet with DEP to develop a comprehensive cleanup plan.

Regarding paragraph 4, I believe that the court and all parties agreed that a chemical analysis of all waste present on the Newark and Carlstadt sites must be a first step of the cleanups. Further, you directed that the cleanups start promptly after meetings are held between the technical representatives of the defendants and DEP. Therefore, I respectfully submit that paragraph 4 is consistent with Your Honor's ruling from the bench.

During oral argument, I stated that Messrs. Presto and Sigmond had not submitted plans for cleanup of the Carlstadt site as required by the court's order at the return date of the Order To Show Cause. Thereafter, the court ordered Mr. Sigmond and Mr. Presto to submit their plans of the cleanup of the Carlstadt site by August 5, 1983. In the alternative, the court granted the option that these individuals may join in the plan submitted by Inmar Associates. Finally, my notes specifically indicate that you directed that these individuals attend the meeting with the State regarding the cleanup of the Carlstadt site.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully yours,

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Dear Mrs. Harvey and Gentlemen:

A meeting to discuss the cleanup proposal for the Carlstadt site has been set up for Tuesday, July 19, 1983 at 10:00 AM at Mr. Reger's office in the Hughes Justice Complex at Trenton. Each of you, and/or your clients as the case may be, is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Yours truly,

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